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*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
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Title: Method and Systems for Electronic  
Assembly System Pricing and Customer  
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This is a response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application having a mailing date of August 8, 2001, and for which a period for response of two (2) months after the mailing date or two (2) months from the filing date was set to expire October 8, 2001.

Enclosed is the Declaration for Patent Application. Also enclosed is a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.

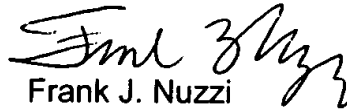
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